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Honorable James O. Eastland
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

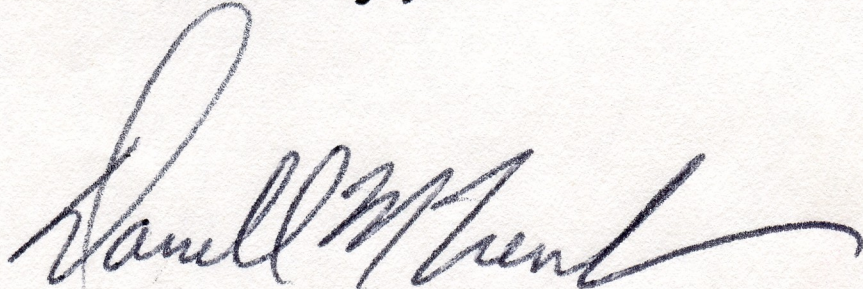
Dear Senator Eastland:

Thank you for your April 4 telegram concerning the designation of counties eligible for Federal disaster assistance under the President's recent major disaster declaration for Mississippi.

I believe my Staff has advised your Office that 9 additional counties were designated on April 5 as part of the major disaster area. These are: Calhoun, Chickasaw, Issaquena, Lawrence, Lincoln, Prentiss, Sharkey, Tishomingo, and Yalobusha. Others still are under consideration; Federal-State teams are assessing the damage to develop information and data that will determine whether they qualify for Federal help.

If I may be of further assistance in this or any other matter, please let me know.

Sincerely,



Darrell M. Trent
Acting Director